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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION**

Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks
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Sir:

Your Petitioner, THE PEP BOYS MANNY, MOE & JACK OF CALIFORNIA, a corporation of the State of California, located and doing business at 3111 West Allegheny Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19132, through its undersigned counsel, hereby respectfully requests an extension of time, to and including **January 18, 2003**, to file a Notice of Opposition against the above-identified application.

The extension is needed to allow Petitioner to continue its investigation to determine if opposition is warranted, to confer with counsel, and to prepare the opposition papers, if necessary.

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This request is not made for the purpose of unduly delaying proceedings in the Patent and Trademark Office.

This request is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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